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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Scott R. Burge et al Group No. 1743
Serial No.: 09/939,934 Examiner: Sam P. Siefke
Title: AUTOMATED GROUND WATER MONITORING AND ANALYSIS SYSTEM

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three months: X to respond to the Office Letter mailed on Aug. 23, 2005
X for amendment,

(Indicate matter being extended)

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested: X is filed herewith. has been filed.
3. Applicant is X a small entity - status previously established.
 other than a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee: Eff: Dec. 08, 2004

Total months requested	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
<u> </u> one month	\$ 120	\$ 60
<u> </u> two months	\$ 450	\$ 225
<u>X</u> three months	\$ 1,020	\$ 510
<u> </u> four months	\$ 1,590	\$ 795
<u> </u> five months	\$ 2,160	\$ 1,080

- X An extension for 0 months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ 0 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ 510

5. Extended period for response: Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on Feb. 23, 2006.
6. Fee Payment: X Attached is a check in the sum of \$ 510.

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CERTIFICATION OF MAILING

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